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DECISION

Barrick Mercur Gold Mines, Inc. :
P.O. Box 838 : Amendment
Tooele, Utah 84074 :

Your amendment to the Mercur plan-of-operations which primarily involves expansion of the tailings impoundment and Sunrise dump is approved, subject to various state and county permit requirements with the below listed reclamation and mitigation measures.

Section 2.4 in the plan-of-operations, and the existing reclamation plan is hereby amended to include the new facilities.

Specific mitigation and reclamation includes:

1. Stockpile salvageable topsoil from dump and tailings areas.
2. Construct the Sunrise dump with a series of benches along the down slope portion which do not exceed 80 vertical feet between benches. Bench width should be approximately 100 feet. The dump face should have a curving aspect. Reclamation of the dump should conform to the reclamation plan in Section 2.4 of the plan-of-operations.

You have the right to appeal to the Utah State Director, Bureau of Land Management in accordance with 43 CFR 3809.4. If you exercise this right, your appeal, accompanied by a statement of reasons and any arguments you wish to present which would justify reversal or modification of the decision, must be filed in writing at this office within 30 days after the date of this decision. This decision will remain in effect during appeal unless a written request for a stay is granted.

Deane H. Zeller
District Manager

cc: Wayne Hedberg
Utah Div of Oil, Gas & Mining